

321 BC

<sup>2nd Samnite War</sup>

Caudine Forks; Samnites victory  
Pontius, trapped Roman force  
dormition terms

Roman Senate refused to ratify  
the terms, and again war  
was resumed

321BC

Roman Army surrendered to  
the SAMNITES.

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Egypt

Two of Alexander's generals  
PTOLEMY & PERDICCAS fought  
a battle near PELUSIUM  
in 321 BC.

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Sannites trap Roman  
Army at Cannae

Rome rescues the  
capitulation; war rages  
doubtfully for seven years.

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Death of Perdiccas

Antipater (Macedon) becomes  
Imperial Regent.

321 BC

DURANT

Romans defeated at Caudine Forks

32 BC

DURANT

Caudine Forks

{ Samnites }  
won

the Romans suffered one of their greatest defeats, and their beaten army passed "under the yoke" - an oath of hostile spears - in token of submission. The consuls at the first signed an abject peace, which the Senate refused to ratify. The Samnites won the Etruscans and Gauls as allies, and for a time Rome

feel more at home in some,

321 BC

## Battle of CAUDINE Forks

Caudine Forks was a narrow  
pass in the Appenines  
in southern Italy in the road  
from Capua to Beneventum.

Here in 321 BC the Samnites  
routed a Roman Army and  
forced it to pass under a yoke

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Sannites trap Roman army at  
Caudine Forks

Rome renounces the Capitulation;  
war rages doubtfully for 7 yrs.